

## House Resolution 1768

By: Representatives Golick of the 40<sup>th</sup>, Anulewicz of the 42<sup>nd</sup>, and Smith of the 41<sup>st</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the Honorable A. Max Bacon on his outstanding public  
2 service; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Honorable A. Max Bacon has long been recognized by the citizens of this  
4 state for the vital role that he has played in leadership and his deep personal commitment to  
5 the welfare of the citizens of Georgia; and

6 WHEREAS, Mayor Bacon has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of  
7 his time, talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community and state as evidenced  
8 dramatically by his superlative service with the City of Smyrna and the United States Postal  
9 Service; and

10 WHEREAS, he retired from the United States Postal Service after 40 years of service,  
11 serving as Postmaster of the Smyrna Post Office at the time of his retirement; and

12 WHEREAS, after serving on Smyrna's City Council for six years, Mayor Bacon was first  
13 elected to his mayoral post in 1985; and

14 WHEREAS, he has tirelessly worked toward the development and redevelopment of the City  
15 of Smyrna, including but not limited to the construction of the Smyrna Market Village, the  
16 redevelopment of the Belmont Hills Shopping Center, the repurposing of Brawner Hall, and  
17 the consistent high quality of the City of Smyrna parks; and

18 WHEREAS, Mayor Bacon's significant organizational and leadership talents, his remarkable  
19 patience and diplomacy, his keen sense of vision, and his sensitivity to the needs of the  
20 citizens of this state have earned him the respect and admiration of his colleagues and  
21 associates; and

22 WHEREAS, he is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for  
23 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

24 WHEREAS, Mayor Bacon has served with honor and distinction with the City of Smyrna  
25 and the United States Postal Service, and his vision and unyielding commitment to his  
26 community have set the standard for public service; and

27 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this  
28 remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

29 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
30 the members of this body recognize and commend the Honorable A. Max Bacon for his  
31 efficient, effective, unselfish, and dedicated public service to the State of Georgia and extend  
32 the most sincere best wishes for continued health and happiness.

33 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
34 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the  
35 Honorable A. Max Bacon.